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FOURTH YEAR.

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In this sale we will include the remnant of the
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Cloaks for 25 cents; think of it.
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At one-fourth actual cost. Cloths and Cassi-
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Look at the counter of 5 cent stuff. You can
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New and Complete stock in all the very
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Sterling SILVERWARE,

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On account of changing our
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OF

GROCERIES,

Glassware, Chinaware, Hang-
ing Lamps, Stand Lamps, Wa-
ter Sets, Vases, Fruit Dishes,
Haviland China, Cut Glass,
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Cream Sets, Chamber Sets, &c.

Bear in mind that we mean
business and our stock must be
closed out. We are not only
selling at cost but many
articles at Half Price. Call at
once and

Secure these Bargains

Yours Respectfully,

Dielhenn Bros.

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Deposit Bank (its general office), in the City of
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Goods in Every Department.

OUR PRICES DEFY COMPETITION.

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A CUTTING TIME

Though our winter trade has been exceptionally good and we
are not to be found among the mourners, yet we have a few
goods we want to sell and the sooner they are sold the better we
shall feel. We must begin to plan for the spring campaign, and
want room and money to carry out the plans we formulate. To
secure these two essentials we have

CUT THE HEADS OFF

the prices on our entire stock of Overcoats, Heavy Suits, Gloves,
Caps, Underwear, etc. They must make way for our spring pur-
chases, and now is the time to buy these cold-weather goods.
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Best Grades of Flour

BUTTER, EGGS AND POULTRY

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Formerly with Tun Kee in the Minich block
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New Laundry at No. 45 East Main Street

Where he will be prepared to show to the pub-
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All work accurately and promptly at-
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14 lbs. G. Sugar.....\$1 00

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Arbuckles Coffee..... 25

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Lion coffee..... 25

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5 cans best Peaches.....\$1 00

5 cans best Apricots..... 1 00

12 cans Tomatoes..... 1 00

Good Broom..... 10

Golden drip Syrup per gal.... 35

Good Tea Per Pound 25

All other goods proportionally low.

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South Erie Street, OHIO

MASSILLON

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TO-DAY'S DOINGS IN THIS TOWN

Personal Notes and Brief Mention of

Many Things.

THE WEATHER.—For Ohio—Monday, fair, ex-
cept local snows on the lake shore, colder.

The ground hog was able to see his shadow to-
day, consequently those who pin their faith to
the judgment of the ground hog, can prepare for
six weeks more of winter weather.

Mr. E. L. Clayton, of New York, is in
the city.

James W. Warwick is down from
Cleveland.

Wade Taylor, of Niles, is the guest of
W. A. Wade.

A Canton G. A. R. camp fire will be
given Friday night.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schott,
of State street, a son.

Mrs. Carrie Jacobs Brown will leave
to-morrow for New York city.

Jacob Hoch of North Mill street, is
seriously ill with heart trouble.

"Dick" Ertle and Frank Smith spent
Sunday with friends in Canton.

The Rev. E. L. Kemp is in Cleveland,
attending a Sunday school institute.

A party of Canton people are visiting
at the residence of Harmon Shriver.

Young people's meeting will be held
nightly, this week, in the First M. E.
choir room.

The Rev. O. W. Schettler and Mrs.
George Porro are visiting Mr. Jacob Porro,
at Kent, O.

Richard Crawford, jr., has sufficiently
recovered to resume his duties at Russell
& Co.'s office.

E. G. Willison has been appointed ad-
ministrator of the estate of Conrad Wil-
lison, deceased.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. McMath, of
Canton, will be "at home" Friday even-
ing, February 6.

Miss Sallie Fleisher of Canton is visit-
ing her aunt, Mrs. Henry Gribble in
East Main street.

Martin Schultz, salesman in Humber-
ger's store, left for Springfield, O., to-day
to visit his parents.

Allen Stoneman, formerly operator
for the W. & L. E. at this station, was
in the city yesterday.

Arthur Shriver celebrated his twenty-
third birthday at the residence of his
father, South Erie street.

Frank Shallenberger and wife will
leave for Pittsburg to-morrow morning
to attend the funeral of a relative.

This is the week for the Sons of Vet-
erans' entertainment at the opera house.
Great preparations are being made.

Miss Kate Hansen celebrated her
birthday, Saturday, by giving a tea party
to all the teachers employed at St. Mary's
school.

The firm of Willenborg & Braun will
be dissolved April 1. Mr. Willenborg to
retire. Mr. Braun will continue the
business.

The U. D. C. club will meet to-night
at the home of Mrs. S. R. Weirich, East
Tremont street. Topic: "The second
Panic war."

Frank Sladden, jr., has resigned his
position in the C. L. & W. railroad office
at Elyria and returned to his home in
this city on Saturday.

Work on the Prospect street club
house is progressing very rapidly now.
The partition walls are all up, and are
about ready for the plasterers.

The regular "Y" meeting will be held
this evening at 7:45 o'clock. All mem-
bers should be present, as business of
importance is to be transacted.

The State Lecturer of the organization
has authority for the statement that there
are thirty-two Farmers' Alliance lodges
in Stark county, with a membership of
1,500.

Cards are out for a company to be
given Monday, Feb. 9, by Mr. and Mrs.
Warrington Warwick and Miss Karthaus,
183 East Main street. Dancing at 10
o'clock.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm.
Zepp, in Akron street, died last night at
10:30. The funeral will be held at St.
Paul's Lutheran church to-morrow at
2 p. m.

The Rev. A. J. B. Kast, of Greenford,
Mahoning county, is in the city, having
been called to West Brookfield to officiate
at the funeral of Mrs. J. H. Fisher,
jr., yesterday.

There will be a farewell basket social
at the old Christian church in Hill street
to-morrow evening, February 3, to which
all are invited. Ladies are asked to bring
baskets well filled.

J. M. Clark & Co. received to day a
car load of bananas shipped in a heated
car, the first car of this kind ever
dropped off in Massillon. These bananas
are the first of the season.

John Daross, formerly an engineer in
the W. & L. E. yards, this city, but now
stationed at Norwalk, is on a visit to his
father-in-law, Wm. Goeghan, accom-
panied by his wife and child.

George J. Jenior, an aged and well
known resident of the city, who con-
ducted a small farm in Washington ave-
nue, died Saturday night. He leaves a
family of grown children, two sons being
married.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Shallenberger, of
East South street, were called to Pitts-
burg to-day to attend the funeral of Mrs.
Shallenberger's aunt, Mrs. Jane Shallen-
berger, aged about 65 years. Funeral
Feb. 3, at 2 o'clock.

It is learned from a private source that
Mr. E. L. Gates has greatly improved in

THE SUICIDE OF FRED MORGENSTERN ON SUNDAY.

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No Cause Assigned for the Act—Cut

Down in His Own Kitchen Garden

at 8 O'clock Last Night—His Thirty

third Wedding Anniversary.

[Extra 9 o'clock edition.]

Frederick Morgenstern, a German

who lived at the corner of Center and

State streets, in the fourth ward, com-
mitted suicide by hanging Sunday even-
ing. He came to this country a year ago

last September with his family, locating
in this city. He worked for sometime

in the Warthorst quarries, but has been
idle since last fall. His family con-
sists of his widow and five grown

children, three daughters and two
sons, one daughter being married.

He was sixty-three years of age, and
yesterday was the thirty-third anniver-
sary of his marriage.

The details of the act of self-destruc-
tion are brief. He was down at the cor-
ner of Main and Mill streets between

half-past six and seven o'clock yester-
day evening and was met by his two
single daughters, one of whom works at

McGrath's Hotel, and they asked
him if he was going home. He
replied that he was. The daughters

went home within a half hour after the
meeting, and when they entered the yard
at the residence they found their father

suspended by a rope around his neck,
from a limb of a peach tree, within a
few feet of the kitchen door. A brother

who was in the house was informed of
the fact, and he cut the body down while
it was yet warm but life was extinct.

In an effort to ascertain the cause for
the act the members of the family were
questioned last night, but none of them

could even surmise a reason for the
suicide. He seemed to be depressed in
spirit during the day and sat in the

house most of the time with his head
resting on his hands and seemingly
brooding over something, but scarcely

speaking to any one. It is known that he
was dissatisfied with this country and had
frequently expressed himself to the effect

that he would return to his native place
as soon as he was able to do so. Wor-
rying over the unfavorable prospect of

ever returning to the old country cou-
pled with the fact that he was old and
literally without money, are the most

reasonable causes for the deed. The
family is in such indigent circumstances
that the township trustees will have to

bear the funeral expenses.

Mrs. Jacob Knobloch, of West Tre-
mont street, is a sister of the dead man
and he also has another sister living at

Paris, Stark county.

A MISSING HUSBAND.

George W. Rhodes Disappears with

his Favorite Child.

Another man is missing. Week before

last, it will be remembered that this
paper detailed the outrageous abuse of

Mrs. George W. Rhodes by her husband,
compelling her to go to the police for

intervention.

Saturday night this same George W.
Rhodes shipped away from town, nor
does his wife now look for his return.

Ostensibly he left for Canton "to look for
work," as he put it, and took his little

5-year-old son along for the child's
amusement. They were to come back

last night, but failed to appear.

Mrs. Rhodes is not at all distressed
about the loss of her husband, but she
grieves greatly on account of the lad

who was his father's favorite. Mrs.
Rhodes thinks that the man has gone to
Philadelphia where he originated. All

his clothing and small effects are gone,
and Mrs. Rhodes now recolects that her
husband made all manner of excuses

during the week for the removal of
clothing and other articles. His tool
chest, which he kept in the new Chris-
tian church, where had been working,

he had taken away and shipped.

The deserted wife says that she has
earned her own living before, and can
do so again, and on account of her family

troubles, is not anxious for the return of
the man who has wronged her.

A TALE OF A DOG.

The Strong Affection Which Contin-

ues Though the Dog is Dead.

THE INDEPENDENT is in receipt of re-
liable information on a case of attach-
ment and affection for an animal which

is so surprising as to merit publication.

A widow residing on Tremont street had
a black and tan dog which was almost
her entire companionship, and she, nat-
urally and commendably, became greatly

attached to the animal. His dogship,
sad to relate, died, or in more elegant
and affecting language of the unknown

but brilliant poet, "Every dog must have
his day; he had his and passed away."

The demise occurred between three and
four weeks ago; but instead of giving her
close friend a decent burial and saturat-
ing the grave with tears, the bereaved

and sorely stricken woman placed the
valued remains in a satin lined catafalco
constructed with her own hands and de-
posited the receptacle for the departed

in her parlor. And there the inanimat
remains are yet kept to this day, the
grief-ridden widow making it a daily

custom to repair to the spot and ween,
wail and mourn over her irreparable loss.

It is not known whether the body was
embalmed.

It Needs Attention.

Mr. Editor: Will you please call the
attention of the street commissioner to
the almost impassable condition of the

North Mill street sidewalks, about one-
half mile from the city. Sometimes peo-
ple seriously think of swimming the rest

of the way.

TAXPAYER.

Subscribe for THE INDEPENDENT.

PROGRAMME THIS WEEK.

THE SENATE TO DISPOSE OF SOME APPROPRIATION BILLS.

Probability of the Fortifications Bill Passing—Mr. Blair Expects to Get Up His Eight-Hour Law and Mr. Platt is Confident He Can Call Up the Copyright Bill—Appropriation Bills to Occupy Most of the Time in the House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Both houses of congress met at 2 o'clock to-day in order to enable members to attend the funeral of Secretary Windom, which took place at noon. There is a great disposition on the part of the senate to dispose of some appropriation bills during the week and it is probable that the fortifications bill, which was laid aside temporarily, will be passed, and that the pensions and District of Columbia bills may also be taken up and considerable progress made on them during the week. Mr. Blair has good reason to believe that his bill to settle the accounts of laborers and mechanics arising under the eight-hour law will be considered and even passed before the week is out and Mr. Platt is confident he can call up the copyright bill without any great difficulty. There is a possibility—a slight one, however—that an attempt will be made to bring the

Bankruptcy Bill Before the Senate.
The procedure in that body will depend mainly, however, on the action of a Republican caucus to be held early in the week. To this cause the Republican "steering committee" will report a programme, embracing, in all probability, the measures named, and the caucus will decide as to their disposition. The greater portion of the time of the house during the coming week will be occupied with the consideration of appropriation bills. When the diplomatic appropriation bill is passed, Mr. Farquhar will make an effort to have the subsidy shipping bill disposed of, and two days will probably be allowed for consideration of this bill. The legislative appropriation bill will then be taken up and its consideration will consume the remainder of the week.

MEISSONIER DEAD.

After an illness of a few days the famous artist passes away.

PARIS, Feb. 2.—Jean Louis Ernest Meissonier, the painter, who has been ill for several days, died in this city Saturday. Jean Louis Ernest Meissonier was born in Lyons, July 15, 1813. He studied his art in Paris under Leon Cogniet, exhibited in 1836 his "Little Messenger," and soon acquired a reputation as a painter of miniature subjects of exquisite delicacy and finish. Among his best known pictures are "The Chess Players," "The Road," "A Game of Piquet" and "The Skilled Players." Among his larger pictures are "A Charge of Cavalry," which was sold for 150,000 francs, and is in a private gallery in Cincinnati, and "The Emperor of Solferino" and "1814." He made designs for Balze's "Comedie Humaine," "Paul and Virginia," and other works. His pictures commanded great prices, and there are several of them in the United States.

DIED OF MORPHINE POISONING.

The Drug Prescribed to Her for Insomnia by a Young Medical Student.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Helen Potts, 20 years old, the daughter of George H. Potts, a wealthy railroad contractor living at Asbury Park, N. J., who has an office on Wall street, died of morphine poisoning yesterday at the Comstock School. The drug had been prescribed to her for insomnia by Carlyle W. Harris, a young medical student, and a friend of the unfortunate young girl's family. Miss Potts was a handsome brunette and was an accomplished musician and singer. About a year ago she entered the school where she died to finish her studies. Young Harris has been very attentive to the girl and had taken her to theatres and concerts, but always under the chaperonage of his mother. The young man is liable to arrest for making out the prescription.

THE SECRETARY OF TREASURY.

The President May Appoint John C. New to Fill the Vacancy.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The president opens wide the door of speculation and to those who read between the lines his determination to place John C. New, of Indiana, now consul general at London, at the head of the treasury department seems apparent. It will be remembered that Mr. New was very serious of entering the cabinet, and it was thought at one time that he had the treasury portfolio in his grasp. Since he has been in London he has been in correspondence with Secretary Windom and the president on financial matters and his qualifications are such as to admit of no doubt regarding his ability to fill the position. That Indiana has already one cabinet officer would not in all probability deter the president from appointing his friend to the vacant secretaryship.

At the House of Mourning.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The arrival of William D. Windom, son of the late Secretary Windom, was the chief event in the sorrowing household at the secretary home, on Massachusetts avenue, yesterday. He reached Washington early yesterday morning, not having received news of his father's death until Friday morning. Among the visitors at the Windom mansion was Mrs. Lucretia Garfield, widow of President Garfield, and her son Harry; Justice Field and his brother, Rev. H. M. Field, and ex-Senator Davis, of West Virginia. An excellent plaster cast of the face of the dead secretary was taken last night.

All Caused by a Clerical Error.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Through a clerical error in misdirecting a letter in the treasury department, recently the collector at Buffalo, N. Y., instead of the collector for the customs district at Nygriva, was instructed that all Canadian duty stock must be entered at the Suspension bridge; thus virtually removing the import cattle trade from Buffalo to that point. The live stock interest at Buffalo soon made itself heard in Washington, and the error having been discovered the necessary instructions to rectify it were yesterday sent to the collector at Buffalo.

VERY ELABORATE DINNER

To be Given Associate Justice Harlan, of the United States Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—A very elaborate dinner will be given in this city to Associate Justice Harlan, of the supreme court of the United States, on Feb. 6, by members of the Beta Theta Pi fraternity. Special trains will be run from several points in Virginia and from Baltimore for the accommodation of guests. Among those who will be present are the following named: Governor James A. Beaver, of Pennsylvania; Governor D. R. Francis, of Missouri; ex-Governor George Hoadley, of Ohio; Senator D. W. Voorhees, of Indiana; Senator M. S. Quay, of Pennsylvania; ex-Senator Joseph E. McDonald, of Indiana; Congressman Hitt, of Illinois; W. M. Springer, of Illinois; W. D. Bynum, of Indiana; W. M. Kinsey, of Missouri; John M. Allen, of Mississippi; J. J. Pugsley, of Ohio; Paul C. Edmunds, of Virginia; Hosea Townsend, of Colorado; H. S. G. Tucker, of Virginia; W. A. P. Martin, D. D., LL. D., president of Imperial college, Pekin; Aimir Sato, chargé d'affaires, legation of Japan; Hon. Henry Fairfax, of Virginia; Rev. A. W. Pitzer, D. D.; Rev. G. W. P. Birch, D. D.; Hon. James Lyons, Richmond, Va.

ENJOYING THEMSELVES.

Sioux Indians to Witness a Theatrical Performance for the First Time.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The delegation of Sioux Indians who are here to confer with the "Great Father" about their grievances are enjoying all the pleasures of sight-seeing, and every effort is being made by those who are in charge of them to render their trip to the Capital enjoyable. To-night the chiefs will occupy four boxes at the National theatre as the guests of Manager Canby, of Francis Wilson's Comic Opera company. As none of the hostiles have ever before seen a theatrical performance of any description, the glitzy and spectacular display of "The Merry Monarch" will doubtless be a decided novelty to them. They will be in charge of G. E. Bailey, a professor of metallurgy in the South Dakota college, who is also an interpreter and member of the Sioux tribe, known by the Indian cognomen of Big Fish.

Preliminary Examination of Mary Sheedy.

LINCOLN, NEB., Feb. 2.—The preliminary examination of Mrs. Mary Sheedy, Monday MacFarland and Harry Walstead charged with the murder of John Sheedy, resulted Saturday in the forum being held for trial on the charge of murder in the first degree and the discharge of the latter. Mrs. Sheedy accuses the Rev. Father Walsh, one of the strongest witnesses against her, of having made improper proposals to her, which she refused to entertain, and that his testimony is the result of spite. Bishop Bonacum has deposed Father Walsh from the priesthood as a consequence of Mrs. Sheedy's story.

A Twenty Short Missing.

HELENA, MON., Feb. 2.—Jan. 17 two masked men entered a tent at McCartyville, an isolated railroad camp in the northern part of Missoula county, and shot five men, two of whom died. The masked men took \$700 and escaped to the mountains. In an hour after the tragedy Deputy Sheriff Sprague was in pursuit and since his dispatch sent the next day after the tragedy nothing has been heard of the officer and it is believed he has been killed. A posse has gone in search of the missing deputy.

Eighteen-Hour Bicycle Record Broken.

OMAHA, Feb. 2.—The world's eighteen-hour bicycle record was broken by the riders in the race closing Saturday night. The previous record was 304.84 miles for this time. Every night since the beginning of the race the approximate record was broken. The score at the close was: Reading, 308 1-2; Martin, 308 2-5; Gerwing, 308 3-10; Ashinger, 300 1-2 miles. Reading and Martin are both soldiers in the Second regiment, stationed at Ft. Omaha. This is Martin's first race.

An Ex-Tax Collector Shot.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 2.—Frank Butler, ex-tax collector for Ridley township, Delaware county, has fled and a deficit in his accounts of \$7,100 has been discovered. A warrant has been issued for his arrest. His son, George W. Butler, was arrested as an aider and abettor in the defalcation and was held in \$1,500 bail for a further hearing.

Another Strike Settled.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 2.—The striking employees of Rement, Miles & Co. have published a card stating that the firm had arranged matters in a manner entirely satisfactory to them. The usual force is now running the works.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

Lieut. Schwatka, who was fatally injured by falling over a banister in his hotel at Mason City, Ind., died Saturday.

Sixteen indictments have been returned against Banker Emery, at Marco, Ill., for alleged embezzlement. Emery pleads innocence. In the senate Saturday Mr. Quay presented resolutions of the Pennsylvania legislature in favor of the federal elections bill, which were read and laid on the table.

According to the figures the committee of pardons has determined against the commutation of the death sentence passed upon Eyraud, the murderer of Gouffe.

Jeff Davis, the natural son of the late millionaire, A. J. Davis, of Butte City, Mont., accompanied by his attorneys and witnesses, has left for Omaha after his interests in the famous contested will case. The railroad fare of the party was \$1,500.

It can be stated with positiveness that the managers of the elections bill have finally decided to abandon that measure in the interest of important public business remaining to be acted upon. This decision has been communicated to the Democratic senators.

Great preparations are being made in Rome for the carnival. A committee has been formed and large contributions presented. In deference to a request from the sultan, a portion of the intended show, which included a burlesque on his harem, will be omitted.

The letters of Representative Baker and Secretary Blaine are the most sensational contributions to reciprocity literature of the past few days. The blunt avowal of Secretary Blaine that while he is willing to discuss unrestricted reciprocity, he is not willing to discuss reciprocity on natural products only, is so important that it may change the whole aspect of affairs in Canada.

Three Years for \$10,000.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—The jury in the case of John F. Ehret, who was tried in Judge Shepard's court on the charge of stealing a \$10,000 package from the United States Express company, returned a verdict yesterday finding the defendant guilty and fixing his punishment at three years in the penitentiary. A motion for a new trial was entered.

DIED IN TERRIBLE AGONY.

SUICIDE IN THE MOST HORRIBLE MANNER IMAGINABLE.

Ira N. Bodley, After Losing His Position, Began Drinking and was Then Rejected by the Daughter of a Well-to-Do Farmer—He Afterward Entered a Blacksmith Shop, Took a Rod of Iron, Gave it a Point and Heated it to a White Heat and Ran Against It.

BARRY, ILLS., Feb. 2.—Ira N. Bodley, a discharged brakeman of the Wabash road, committed suicide here in the most horrible manner imaginable. The day after he was discharged from the road he began to drink, and while in that condition called on William Hall, a well-to-do farmer living three miles west of here, and proposed for Hall's 18-year-old daughter. He was unceremoniously bounced, and returning to town began to drink heavily. He entered the blacksmith shop of his brother-in-law, W. L. Smith, and taking a rod of iron heated it, then gave it a point and heated about six inches of it

To a White Heat.

He put the bar in a vise and bent it, then deliberately removed his coat and vest and pressed his abdomen against the glowing iron. A colored boy named Willie Evans, who was in the rear of the shop, heard the sizzling of the flesh and saw the form of the rash man enveloped in a cloud of steam and smoke. With a cry of terror he escaped. Parties hearing the dying man's groans ran to him, but he was beyond aid. The boy was afraid to tell the truth, and the story was given out that Bodley had met with an accident.

THE FEAR OF STARVATION

Causes a Mother to Kill Two Children, Fire the House and Wound Herself.

HORTON, KAN., Feb. 2.—News has reached here of a horrible act of an insane woman who has been living on a farm several miles west of here. Mrs. Henry Wysong was left a widow two years ago with three children dependent on her. The fear of starvation preyed on her mind that she attempted to kill her children and herself. The eldest, a boy of 12, got away from her after she had cut his throat with a knife, and he then ran to a neighbor's, giving the alarm. The neighbor hurried to the house and found the place in flames. The woman had killed the remaining two children and, after inflicting mortal wounds on herself, she set fire to the house. The boy who escaped will live.

DOWN AN INCLINE.

A Kansas City Cable Car, Containing Nine Persons, Dashed to Pieces.

KANSAS CITY, MO., Feb. 2.—A runaway cable train ran down the Union Depot incline at 8 o'clock Saturday night, and it was only by the merest chance that a number of lives were not lost. The incline is 1,000 feet long, and descends at an angle of thirty degrees from Summit street to an elevated station east of the Union depot. At Summit street the grip broke, the brakes failed to work, and the train, unrestrained, shot down the incline at lightning speed. The passenger car contained nine persons. The train kept to the rails until it reached the curve at the bottom of the incline, when the grip jumped the track and turned over on its side. The passenger coach crashed into it and reduced it to splinters. Gripman Bosly was seriously injured, but will recover. None of the passengers were hurt excepting C. E. Davidson. He was cut with glass and badly bruised.

NOT THE EX-CONVICT.

A Committee of the Illinois Legislature Investigates the Taubeneck Case.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 2.—The select committee of the Illinois legislature to investigate the Taubeneck case met at the penitentiary Saturday. They called the former guards, managers, employees and contractors to identify Taubeneck, who was present, with Will H. Rogers, a pardoned convict. Will Donohue, Contractor Klotz and others testified positively that Rogers was shorter, had lighter hair and was not in the room. As a clincher to the truth he was taken to the deputy warden's office and measured. The measurement showed him to be three inches taller than the convict Rogers. He declared the whole trouble grew out of a personal matter between himself and the editor of a paper in his county. The committee made its report exonerating Mr. Taubeneck. Everybody present was unanimous in his favor.

LONG IN LITIGATION.

A Celebrated Ohio Railroad Case Reaches the Supreme Court.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 2.—Suit to reverse the judgment of the Lucas county court in the case of Judge Stevenson Burke against the Columbus, Hocking Valley and Toledo railroad was filed in the supreme court Saturday. The Lucas county courts found for Burke, the amount involved being about \$8,000,000. The case has had a long run in the courts, and in each instance the finding has been for Burke.

Hog Cholera in Kansas.

ABILENE, KAN., Feb. 2.—Reports from McPherson, Marion and Saline counties say that hog cholera is spreading with the greatest severity known in years. Hundreds of animals are dying daily on account of the warm, damp weather aggravating the disease. Farmers are shipping hogs to the market rapidly in order to save them, but many of those shipped are diseased.

The Puddlers' Strike Settled.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Feb. 2.—The strike of puddlers at the mill of the Mahoning Valley iron company was settled Saturday night, and work will be resumed, using the same iron that was furnished before they went out.

CONDENSED OHIO NEWS.

The Aetna iron works at Bridgeport will be enlarged by the addition of two sheet mills, a three high plate mill, etc., as quickly as possible. It now employs 700 hands.

In attempting to pass over a train in the yard of the American Tube and Iron company, at Youngstown, Patrick Parker, an employee, was caught between two cars and killed.

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A STRAIGHT DEMOCRAT.

He Voted the Ticket Without a Scratch for Seventy-Five Years.

CARROLLTON, KY., Feb. 2.—Robert Moore, aged 85 years, a respectable and well-to-do farmer, living five miles south of here, in this county, died Saturday of pneumonia. Throughout his long life he never sought the service of a physician, and died without medical attention. He was always a very active man, working in the fields regularly up to the close of last season, riding to town alone. He was born while Washington was president; cast his first Democratic vote before he was 21—in 1816—and never scratched a ticket afterward, voting at all important elections. Last August, when the state ticket was thought in danger, Mr. Moore was one of the first at the polls, riding a distance of three miles. He lived and died in a hilly and not much frequented portion of the county, within a mile of his birthplace.

LOOKING UP THE BANKS.

First Meeting of the Legislative Committee of Investigation.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 2.—The legislative committee to examine into the state banks and banking concerns and corporations acting under the law of Pennsylvania, which was appointed about a week ago, met in parlor O of the Lafayette hotel Saturday evening. Senator Robinson, of Delaware county, in the chair. The delinquent banking failure and the irregularities and dangers of depositing public money were the animating cause of the formation of such a committee by the legislature. A rigid and exhaustive inquiry will be made into the methods and financial standing of all such corporations. There were present Senators Robinson, Packer and Dunlap and Representatives Marshall, Walton, W. P. Morrison, Sands and Flad. To-day the committee will start on their tour.

THE GREAT KELLY

Refuses to Play in Boston and is Anxious to Join the Cincinnati Reds.

BOSTON, Feb. 2.—Mike Kelly called at President C. A. Prince's office Saturday evening with Manager Irwin, of the Association club, who turned over his five shares of "P. L." stock to Mr. Prince for a good round sum, and declared in energetic tones that he would never play a game of ball with any team where Clarkson, Bennett, Ganzell or "Pop" Smith were engaged. "No," said he, "I would cut off my right arm first. I have done with playing ball in Boston, and will only go to one city, and that is Cincinnati. I have notified the trustees that I will not play with the traitors, and it goes. Kel knows what he is doing, and make a note of it, please."

Fireman Killed and Several Others Hurt.

KINGSTON, ONT., Feb. 2.—A collision occurred yesterday near this city between two freight trains on the Grand Trunk railway. Several of the trainmen were seriously injured and a fireman named Low was killed. Nearly two dozen cars were badly smashed. The loss is very heavy.

Scotch-Irish to Meet in Louisville.

NASHVILLE, Feb. 2.—It is just given out by Col. Wright, of the Scotch-Irish Society of America, that in response to an invitation from the board of trade, Commercial club and citizens of Louisville, the meeting of the Scotch-Irish congress will be held in that city May 14, 15 and 16.

Fell 100 Feet from a Bridge.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Feb. 2.—J. L. Rowan, of Zanesville, O., foreman of the iron workers on the Kanawha river bridge here, fell from the top of the iron work Saturday, 100 feet, and was fatally injured.

THE WORLD OF WANTS.



This column is the best read department in THE INDEPENDENT. The publishers are able to guarantee a careful reading of every advertisement inserted. Its usefulness has been particularly well proven in cases of articles lost and found. Hundreds of dollars worth of missing property has, through this medium, been restored to its owners. Copy must be left not later than 10 a. m. to insure insertion the same day. An even charge of 25 cents is made for six publications, advertisement not to exceed four lines.

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STOREROOM—Small storeroom for rent, on W. Main street, formerly Bucher's office; Call at Grace & Son's grocery. 14-11

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AGENT—General State Agent to open headquarters in some principal city, assume exclusive control of our business and appoint local and sub-agents in every city in this state; goods we know a staple, as does in universal demand, and pay a net profit of 50 to 100 per cent. Address The Union Company, 744 Broadway, New York, 12-11

ACTIONEER—Anybody requiring the services of an auctioneer, should apply to T. Getz. 22

GENTLEMAN in office—Salary \$750. Expenses paid here if engaged—Enclose self addressed stamped envelope. Manager, Lock Box 462, Detroit, Michigan. 12-11

GIRL—A good steady girl for dish washer at Hotel Concord at once. 27

GIRLS—An experienced cook and a girl for housework. Apply at once to Mrs. W. C. Jacobs, 89 E. Main street. 25-61

HOUSE—To rent a small house well located near center of town. Address J. A. Beattie, 46 Park street. 14-11

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STOVE PLATE MOULDERS—Steady work through the year in Rahbone, Sars & Co's new shops at Aurora, Ill. Apply in person or by letter to Capt. James A. Venn, Sup't., Aurora, Ill. 12-11

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THE Independent will appreciate mention of this column, by those who find it useful.

For Sale or Rent.

HOUSE—A new house of 5 rooms, elegantly furnished interior. Well located, on Richville Avenue. Inquire at 172 Richville Ave. 24-11

FOR SALE.

COWS—Two fresh milk cows—both young—one a Jersey. Enquire of E. Beatty, 273 East Main street. 22-11

HOUSE—A seven room house, No. 19 Wellman street, only five minutes walk from center of town. Any one wishing to purchase, please call at premises. 22-11

HOUSE AND LOT—Corner Hill and Chestnut street; seven rooms and summer kitchen. Lot 55x115; excellent well of water, cistern and city water. Inquire on the premises, No. 93 N. Hill street. 24-11

HOUSE—A 5 x room house, No. 204 N. Clay street, in good repair, also good out building. Anyone wishing to purchase should call at premises. For sale cheap. 24-11

HOUSE—A ten room house on E. Main street, No. 208, in good repair and good out building. Any one wishing to purchase should call at premises. G. W. Castleman. 24-11

JERSEY COWS—Two first-class Jersey cows. Apply to P. G. Albright Administrator. 16

LIMESTONE—Crushed limestone for walks. In large or small quantities. Inquire of J. V. R. Skinner. 319-11

MODERN COTTAGE—One of the healthiest and most desirable locations in town, ten rooms, eight closets and pantry, gas, &c.—five minutes walk from postoffice. Inquire at 22 Wellman street of Mrs. J. F. Fahl. 19-61

PLATE GLASS FRONT—The large imported French glass window and iron door, minus now constituting front of Diehl's grocery. Apply at store. 27-11

PIANO—A good square piano. Will sell cheap as I expect to leave town. Mrs. J. F. Paul, No. 22 Wellman street. 30-11

SCALES—A good pair of second-hand four ton wagon scales. Call on or address Albert M. Witter, Coal Dealer. 26-61

THE Independent will be obliged to those who answer advertisements under this head, if they will kindly state that they were attracted by means of this paper.

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THE FASHIONS OF TODAY

OLIVE HARPER VISITS THE ATELIER OF A MODISTE.

There the Correspondent Sees Some of the Gowns Shortly to Be Worn by New York Women of Wealth—A Few Words About Spring Wraps.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Yesterday I visited the atelier of a very famous modiste, and was favored with a sight of a magnificent array of new dresses which are for some of the leaders of fashion in New York. A most beautiful ball gown, just imported for Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt,



GRAY GOWN—MRS. W. K. VANDERBILT'S DRESS.

has the front of snowflake crepe, puffed on to the foundation skirt, and held in places by tiny pink velvet bows, each bow having a diamond set in the center. The skirt is en train and covered with puffed crepe.

The overdress is of white satin sublime, embroidered all around with a band of pink silk and silver threads. There is a swathing sash around the slim waist and long loops and ends. The sash is pink Japanese crepe. The satin overdress is cut en princesse, is slightly looped at the sides, and is open in front, V shaped, and edged with the embroidery in a narrower border. The front is filled in with white snowflake crepe, and has two rows of tiny pink and white daisies crossing the breast and festooned on the shoulder just below the standing ruffles made of the crepe. Pink crepe is drawn down to a point below this on the arm and tied in a small knot. With this is to be worn a splendid triple necklace of large diamonds, and a star of the same precious stones in the hair. The illustration will show how the entire costume was arranged, and permit of any one copying it, even to the jewels, who feels the desire. It didn't cost much—only about \$75,000, jewels included.

The dainty and subdued little gown shown beside hers in the cut is of pearl gray cashmere and brocade silk. The form is princesse front and back, and of the cashmere, there are three gathered bias ruffles at the foot in front, which is quite a favorite way of trimming. The back is princesse, in cashmere, and the sides, sleeves and corsage all are of the brocade, which is of dark gray and black. The whole gown is exceedingly tasteful and graceful, and would be an easy task for the home dressmaker.

Spring wraps are now worn during mild days by those ladies who like to have the name among their friends of always being the first to wear a style. I noticed a pretty pelisse in dark brown cheviot, trimmed with a wide band of beaver all around the bottom. It was belted in a point close at the waist and hung almost to the ground. Around the waist was a thick cord of brown silk, which was woven into a pretty pattern in front, and tied in a double bowknot at the back, and there were very handsome ornaments on the ends. The sleeves were covered with heavy braiding, and the waist had the same in Figaro style. Cap sleeves of brown velvet were edged



BROWN PELISSE—GREEN WALKING SUIT, with beaver, and there was a round collar of the same. A brown velvet hat, with brown and yellow plumes, finished the whole outfit, which was very handsome.

Another new and very stylish outdoor garment is a coat made of dark green diagonal, trimmed with cuffs, pocket lids and rolling collar of passementerie. The vest front is of velvet in a darker shade to match the hat, which is trimmed with green and brown ribbons and feathers.

The skirt is of gray serge, cut in deep Vandyke points, each edged with an inch wide band of castle braid. Beneath the points is a wide band of green and black brocade.

These points, as well as rounded tabs with contrasting material beneath, sometimes set on plain, but more often ruffled or plaited, are very popular for walking dresses. Made of silk or crepe, with tulle or chiffon fan, they are very pretty for evening dresses. OLIVE HARPER.

THE WORLD OF LETTERS.

A New Edition of Amy Fay's Book, "Music Study in Germany."

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—A new edition has recently been issued of Amy Fay's book entitled "Music Study in Germany." It is now ten years since the first edition was issued, and the sale has been steady for the book ever since. Miss Fay is a sister-in-law of Theodore Thomas, and the great conductor was married to a sister of Miss Fay recently in Chicago. Mr. Thomas is about to give up his New York residence and to remove to Chicago, where he is under contract to remain three years and manage the leading musical organization of that city. He has lived for ten years in the same house in New York, just off Union square. It is a house which has the reputation of being lucky. It is owned by ex-Mayor Grace, and he lived in it when he was elected for the first time mayor of New York. When he moved to Murray Hill Mr. Thomas became his tenant, and it seemed as though from the day he entered that house his fortune became prosperous, but his greatest happiness was when a few months ago he brought the sister of Amy Fay to it as his bride.



AMY FAY.

The story of Miss Fay's little book is a most interesting one, and it seems as though her fame was to be established, not so much in the direction where her ambition pointed as through the publication of this book, which was originally written with no idea whatever of publication. Miss Fay was a Chicago girl, originally from the vicinity of Boston. She early displayed extraordinary talent for piano playing and a remarkable fondness and understanding of music. She had as thorough an education in music as could be given in the Boston conservatories, but did not regard her education as sufficient, and in 1839 she went to Germany. At that time the historian Bancroft was the United States minister to the Prussian government, and he was an intimate friend of some members of Miss Fay's family. She was able to enjoy special facilities on account of his friendship.

Miss Fay remained in Germany some five years, and in that time was brought in professional contact with the greatest musicians of the world. That brilliant genius Tausig gave her some of the last lessons of his life; she saw Wagner many times, and was one of the first to appreciate him of all Americans; she was in Berlin at the time of the Franco-Prussian war. That great teacher Kullak gave her lessons, and she was often able to meet such geniuses as Joachim, Clara Schumann, Von Bulow and Rubinstein. She was also one of the private pupils of Liszt, and saw much of him in his professional and private life. After this training Miss Fay returned to America, where she probably would have been only locally known as a player of extraordinary gifts had it not been for the book. She became a teacher in the Chicago conservatory, and seldom appears as a public performer. During Miss Fay's absence she wrote letters to her friends at home, and these letters were brimful of anecdotes, characterizations of the geniuses of the musical world, clever analyses of the talents of these great men and women and charming bits of description. She wrote them for private eyes alone, but the letters were written with such delightful simplicity of style, were so lucid and graphic, and so evidently the reflection of an enthusiastic soul that they were passed about from friend to friend and were looked for with the greatest interest.

When she returned a member of the family collected the letters and edited them, taking out such comments as were of a private nature purely, and they were published in 1889. The literary and musical world recognized the book at once as a work of extraordinary ability, unconsciously exercised as it was.

The book brought her fame at once, and it seems now to have safely passed the test and become a permanent contribution to our literature.

It was in 1870 that she wrote of Wagner: "Wagner's melodies are so heavily and intoxicatingly sweet that they are almost narcotic. His music excites a set of emotions that no other music does, and he is a great original. I always feel as if I would like to swoon away when I hear his compositions." Of Joachim she said that "the pathetic tones he draws from his violin go through one like a knife." Twenty years later Miss Fay's judgment of Wagner is that of every one, although at that time her opinion would have been regarded as musical heresy in America. Her descriptions of Liszt are delightful and intensely graphic. But we might go on repeating extracts from the work ad libitum. It is so free from technical terms that any one may read it with pleasure.

E. J. EDWARDS.

A Shrewd Janitor.

The public and private halls in a certain class of New York apartment houses are heated by a furnace in the basement. This furnace is attended by a janitor, who with his family occupies the habitable portion of the underground story. The tenants of one such apartment house have lately cleared up a great mystery connected with the erratic actions of the furnace. In mild weather this furnace gave off such volumes of heat that not only the halls but every room in each apartment were thoroughly warmed; but each time the mercury got down in the vicinity of zero the registers in the halls persisted in giving up nothing but quantities of ice cold air. In response to agonized appeals down the speaking tube the janitor would pile in more coal and shake down the cinders violently, all of which had no perceptible effect above the basement. The tenant who solved the mystery was the one who, knowing something about furnaces himself, went down to the janitor's domain to investigate matters. He found the atmosphere of the basement hot enough to roast apples, and was at once enlightened. Though the furnace was ostensibly there to promote the comfort of those who paid the rent, the janitor, by closing all the heat pipes, had kept all the warmth below stairs for himself.

OPORTO INSURRECTION.

THE RINGLEADERS OF THE REVOLT TO BE TRIED IMMEDIATELY.

Death is Almost Certain to be Their Fate

—King Carlos Sees the Necessity of the Severe Penalty Being Dealt to the Mutineers—Others Engaged in the Outbreak Will be Drafted to Angola and Mozambique, which Means to Them an Early Death.

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Upon the suppression of the Oporto insurrection a court martial was immediately ordered to try the ring leaders in the revolt, whose fate is certain to be death. All day Saturday, while the result of the struggle was still in the balance, crowds thronged the principal streets of Lisbon, eagerly waiting for news and discussing the situation. Some of the lower class were evidently bent upon mischief, but they readily dispersed at the command of the police. The government has instituted a rigid investigation to ascertain the extent of the disaffection, although it is believed that the conspiracy did not extend beyond the troops engaged in the insurrection and did not include any persons high in authority. Radical measures are proposed for the searching and weeding out of dangerous individuals and all foreigners upon whom suspicion may rest will be ordered to leave Portugal. The government of King Carlos finds itself strengthened instead of weakened by the outbreak, which gives a pretext for rigorous measures which have been long thought desirable. No suspicion of any collusion with the conspiracy attaches to Serpa Pinto or any of the others who have been really prominent in the anti-English agitation.

It was an Outburst of Republicanism, fostered by petty agitators in the rank and file of the army. King Carlos who was reported to be inclined to mercy, has it is now stated, been led to see the necessity of the severe penalties for the mutineers, besides the execution of the ringleaders, the remainder of the men engaged in the outbreak will be drafted to Angola and Mozambique, under strict guard, and there established as garrisons in the interior of Portuguese Africa, which, for the most part, is very unhealthy and not fit for the residence of Europeans. Portugal has lately felt the need of garrisoning her African possessions with white troops, instead of the half savage native levies, who degrade the Portuguese uniform and authority, but there has been a reluctance to subject any but volunteers to the miseries of the African climate. As the Oporto rebels have forfeited their lives there will be no squeamishness about exposing them to hardship. The Government of Paris was greatly concerned when he heard of the insurrection, and at once telegraphed to his daughter, Queen Amelie, to hasten to England in case of danger.

A DAY OF EXCITEMENT.

Drafted Men Leave the Barracks Owing to Injustice Done Them.

BRUSSELS, Feb. 2.—Yesterday was a day of great excitement. The military classes recently drafted into the Belgian army to cope with Radical riots were promised a month's leave of absence. This was granted to those who had in the provinces, but the authorities thought best, owing to the prevailing conditions of affairs, to send the leave to be spent in the barracks. The drafted men showed no discontent at first, but by persistent disorganization and finally they left the barracks and held meetings in various parts of the city, protesting against what they claimed to be an injustice done them. They were joined by workmen's clubs, who sang the "Marseillaise." The police interfered and compelled the men to return to their barracks.

Plymouth Meets with a Grand Reception.

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Mr. Plymouth, the champion of the rights of women and of the humane treatment of cattle on ships, had a grand reception in Liverpool Saturday. He was met by a throng of 2,000 people and conveyed in a carriage, with outriders, bands and banners to the station where he addressed a vast and attentive throng.

Famous Russian Cathedral Burned.

LONDON, Feb. 2.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg announces that the famous cathedral at Novgorod, Russia, built after the model of St. Sophia's, at Constantinople, and filled with historic treasures, some of them going back to the time when Novgorod was a powerful and independent city, has been destroyed by fire.

THE BANK WRECKERS AGAIN.

Work, Macfarlane, Pfeiffer and Dungan Indicted for Rehypothecation.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 2.—The grand jury Saturday found two bills of indictment against George F. Work, John J. Macfarlane, Louis E. Pfeiffer and James S. Dungan, in one of which they are charged with rehypothecation of stocks and securities, taking, converting and applying the same to their own use, and in the other with conspiracy to make, circulate and publish false statements of the affairs of the bank. The grand jury also found two bills of indictment against James S. Dungan, in both of which he is charged with perjury. The perjury in these cases is alleged to have been committed in swearing to false and fraudulent quarterly returns of a bank to the auditor general. Dungan is in prison. The bill of Pfeiffer, which was conditioned for the appearance at the January term of court, was formally forfeited, being the last day of the term. Work, during the week, renewed his bail for appearance at the next term of court.

An Epidemic of Diphtheria.

SMITH'S FERRY, PA., Feb. 2.—The fatal disease, diphtheria, among children in the little town of Georgetown, is still causing great alarm. There are now fourteen cases in the town. Mr. Henry Loughlin and wife, who lost their only son a week ago, met with another loss by the death of their only daughter, little Cathie.

Twenty-Five Round Prize Fight.

FORT MADISON, IOWA, Feb. 2.—A twenty-five round prize fight with four ounce gloves was fought in this city by John Worley, of Mt. Pleasant, and Joe Tausey, of Memphis. Worley strained his wrist in the last round and gave the gate money to Tausey.

BENJAMIN MACKALL.

Death of One of the Most Prominent Men in Eastern Ohio.

BARNESVILLE, O., Feb. 2.—Col. Benjamin Mackall, the oldest and most prominent man in Belmont county, died Saturday afternoon at the age of 90. During his life he was a farmer, merchant and public officer, having filled many positions of trust. He was postmaster at Barnesville twenty years, justice of the peace thirty years, and in 1845 was elected state senator for the Belmont-Monroe district. He passed through all grades, from lieutenant to colonel of the second regiment, Ohio militia, resigning the latter position to act as inspector. Since 1825 he has been a member of F. and A. M., and since 1827 has been secretary of the lodge. He was also a member of the Chapter, Commandery and Council, and has been secretary of the Chapter since 1855.

Driver, Horses and Wagon Blown Up.

LIMA, O., Feb. 2.—Yesterday afternoon as an oil well shooter was on his way to a well, near St. Mary's, with a load of nitro-glycerine, it exploded and blew the horses, wagon and driver to atoms. The only evidence of the disaster was a huge hole in the roadway.

PROSPECTS FOR PEACE.

The Coke Region Operators Will Meet the Miners in Conference.

SCOTTDALE, PA., Feb. 1.—There is still a chance for a settlement of the wage difficulties in the coke region before the expiration of the present agreement Feb. 10. The invitation of the scale committee of the United Mine Workers, sent to operators Tuesday, asking them for a conference to bring about a settlement of the pending difficulties on or before Feb. 2, was favorably received. Secretary Parker Saturday received notice from President John P. Brecken and Secretary McFadyew, of the operators' committee, stating that they will meet the miners' representatives here to-day. All the coke operators in the region will be present, and the miners will be represented by Messrs. Wise, Parker, Spence, Barrett, Kergan, De Haven and McBride. What concessions both sides will make to reach a settlement cannot be foretold. The miners state that they will not waive their weight scale and eight-hour demands. The operators are reticent on the subject of a new agreement, but are seemingly in a conciliatory mood.

THE WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS.

Statistics of Its Growth to be Presented at the Coming Meeting.

ERIE, PA., Feb. 2.—The Woman's Relief Corps of Pennsylvania will meet at Altoona. At the meeting Mrs. Jennie D. Reavely, of the department in this city, will report a membership of 4,370 in the state and the existence of 137 corps. In membership Johnstown heads the list. The department has distributed over \$5,000 in relief during the year, and since the opening of the Soldiers' and Widows' Memorial home, in Brookville, Jefferson county, the department has given it \$8,000 in cash.

THE BRADDOCK STRIKE UNSETTLED.

The Men Watching All Incoming Trains for Imported Workmen.

BRADDOCK, PA., Feb. 2.—It now looks as if there is no immediate prospect for a settlement between the wire mills and the striking employees. Cars are being sidetracked, and the company claim to have men coming on from St. Louis to take the place of the strikers. The men are watching all incoming trains from Rankin to the salt works. President William Weihe, of the Amalgamated, delivered an address to the men in Turner hall Saturday night.

A SCORE OF THEM OUT.

Window Glass Factories Continue to be Blown Out of Fire.

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 2.—Window glass factories continue to go out of fire. To date the following have been shut down: Barnhart's Bay, Clyde, Dunbarton and Ithaca, N. Y.; Ravenna, Zanesville, Massillon, Findlay, Toledo and Lancaster, O.; Meadville, Covington, Blossburg, Bellefonte, Croton and Wellsboro, Pa.; Muncie, Ind.; Standard glass works, Woodbury, N. J., and the Warrick Glass company, Glassboro, N. J.

MAN AND WOMAN.

They Enter a Jewelry Store and Carry Off a Good Load.

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 2.—Saturday evening, a man accompanied by a woman, effected an entrance to John Schmidt's jewelry store, in Homestead, and secured about \$2,000 worth of watches, jewelry, etc. Mr. Schmidt was at supper at the time. The thieves entered the store through the cellar and a hole cut in the floor, and after filling a valise, let themselves out at the front door. There is no clue to the thieves.

Waylaid in Front of His Own Door.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb. 2.—While on his way home at midnight Saturday night, Austin Sturtevant, 60 years old, was waylaid and sand bagged in front of his own door on Liberty street by two men who robbed him of \$100 in cash and gold watch and chain valued at \$300. Sturtevant was found on the sidewalk in an unconscious condition sometime after the assault and taken into his home. His recovery is considered doubtful.

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